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Title:	Lifting Apparatus Without Electric Cable	Group Art Unit: 3652

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.97(b), the references listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08A (1 sheet, submitted in duplicate) are brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application.

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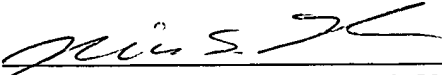
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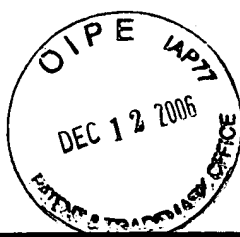
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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
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